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### HOW BRITAIN WILL DOMINATE

Some persons are getting overheated for fear England will dominate the League of Nations. They say England and her colonies would have six votes in the league, and the United States only one.

Of course we all realize that England has no other purpose in life than to make things uncomfortable for the United States. So let's look into this deep-laid plot. Perhaps Canada is planning to annex everything north of the Missouri-Iowa line.

The mainspring of the league is the executive council. In this body England would have one vote, and her colonies none. The United States would have one. Perhaps we are too dense to see how that can mean English domination.

Well, let's see. There's also a body of delegates. That's where England and her colonies would have six votes. But with nearly thirty countries represented at the Peace Conference, and with the league open to all the neutrals in addition, it is hard to see how six votes would "dominate" even the body of delegates.

In fact, French newspapers are pointing out that the United States has nine votes in the Peace Conference to England's six, on the ground that the South American and Central American countries which followed the United States into the war were more allies of the United States than they were allies of England and France.

Excuse us a moment while we think up something else to worry about.

Smokers must now pay higher prices for cigarettes. Cigars will be higher, too, since the new revenue bill has been signed. The "Missouri Meerschaum" should become more popular than ever now, since there is no excess tax on corncobs.

### NEED FOR BOOK STILL GREAT

Although the fighting is ended the supply of books and magazines sent to soldiers should not be ended. There are still thousands of soldiers in camps and hospitals both in America and in Europe and the need for literature has not diminished. Rather it has increased and the supply just now is far from adequate.

Have you forgotten that by placing a 1-cent stamp on an unaddressed periodical you can send it to some poor soldier who craves something to read to pass away the time in a hospital, or one who is waiting to be discharged and to whom the hours are weeks? Brighten up your memory and do not throw away your magazines.

Officials of the American Library Association say three books could be placed easily where they now have one. The constant wear and tear on books and magazines soon puts them off the usable list. The supply must be kept up or our soldiers will have nothing to read. Collect all your books and magazines today and send them to the soldiers. It is really such a little effort on your part but how many hours it will brighten for the boys who are away from home.

Women's rights seem to be decreasing instead of increasing, in spite of the faithful work of woman suffrage organizations. Dr. Mary Walker, the only woman who had a right in this country to wear men's clothes, has died and now that privilege belongs to no woman.

### BACK FROM OVER THERE

William Resor was one of the twenty-six men from the University who went over in June 1917 with the Missouri Transport Unit. During the time he was with this unit, he tells, "the thing that was the hardest for us at first was the transition from eating good American food to that of eating French army food which consisted of horse meat, lentils, potatoes, cheese, and red and white wine.

"For breakfast, always eating in the dark, we got one slice of war bread with a thin layer of confiture, or jam as we call it, and one hard boiled egg, which when you bit into it you took an awful chance, and a cup of strong French coffee without cream and sugar.

"French war bread that we ate was baked in round loaves, and the date was stamped on the back of each loaf. Some we got was dated back as far as three months. It couldn't be cut with an ordinary knife. We needed a butcher knife. It was hauled like so much coal. The crust was a very good preventive for germs getting on

the inside. Therefore we used to cut off the crust, and eat the inside.

"The wages we got were five cents a day, the regular French army pay at that time. Our Unit put all the money we got, which was about three dollars a week, together and bought extra food, fresh bread and cheese.

"But on the French national holiday, celebrating the fall of the Bastille, July 14, we had a meal of four kinds of meat and everything from soup to nuts and champagne."

Mr. Resor who is again registered in the University, was with the Missouri Transport Unit from June 1917 until December, and drove an ambulance from Paris to a base hospital from then until April 1918. Returning to the United States, he joined the Navy and was stationed first at the Great Lakes and until December of this year at Cambridge, Mass.

### Tells of M. U. Spirit.

Harold S. Cave who went over with the Missouri Transport Unit at the same time as Mr. Resor is also again in the University.

Illustrating how the Missouri spirit stayed with the men over there he tells these stories.

"While stationed at Chevigny Farm at Longpont in training we were told that the cooties were very bad at the front. So many of the boys had their hair shaved off. John F. ('Jumbo') Farmer to be distinctive had another man shave an M on the top of his head.

"At another time our lieutenant gave us a champagne party. Champagne is cheap in France, and not uncommon. At this party at a critical stage someone suggested that we sing 'Old Missouri', which brought forth the remark from one of the fellows, 'Don't sing 'Old Missouri, fellows I can't stand up.'"

"We were stationed at Jouaignes during the July days of 1917. We were known as the Soisson Rheims Sector, the Aisne, or the Chemin des Dames.

"When we got into scrapes there was always one expression that would get us out. 'Volontaire Americaine' always brought indulgence from the French."

Mr. Cave received his A. B. from the University in 1917 but is back working on his masters degree.

### CASUALTY LIST

#### Killed in Action.

Louis E. Roedner, St. Louis.

#### Died of Disease.

Francis Gilliam, Palmer.

#### Wounded Severely.

Corp. Fred H. Seifert, St. Joseph.

Cook Lesley Fordon Denny, Clinton.

Returned to Duty. (Previously reported missing in action.)

William E. Angel, Ellington.

William Alonzo Trammell, St. Joseph.

Edward Vanover, Gallatin.

Wounded, Degree Undetermined. (Previously reported killed in action.)

Roy O. Pallard, Mendon.

Returned to Duty. (Previously reported missing in action.)

Ebert C. Hogan, Strafford.

Walter C. Pfeiffer, St. Louis.

Wounded, Degree Undetermined. (Previously reported died from wounds received in action.)

Asia A. Lee, Piedmont.

Wounded Severely. (Previously reported missing in action.)

Earnest I. Williams, Missouri City.

Wounded, Degree Undetermined. (Previously reported missing in action.)

Michael E. Devaney, Rush Hill.

### SURTAX RULES CHANGED

Married Man With Two Dependents

\$7,500 Income, Pays \$412.

Surtax rates, which apply to incomes in excess of \$5,000, are changed by the new revenue bill.

Under the current act, the rate is 1 per cent on the net income in excess of \$5,000 and not over \$6,000, and increases by steps of 1 per cent for each \$2,000 of net income up to, and including, 48 per cent on net income in excess of \$98,000 and not over \$100,000. From this point the rates run as follows: 52 per cent on net income over \$100,000 and not over \$150,000; 56 per cent on net income over \$150,000 and not over \$200,000; 60 per cent on net income over \$200,000 and not over \$300,000; 63 per cent on net income over \$300,000 and not over \$500,000; 64 per cent on net income over \$500,000 and not over \$1,000,000 and 65 per cent on net income over \$1,000,000.

Under the acts in force for 1917, the surtax rates ranged from 1 per cent on the amount of net income over \$5,000 and not over \$7,500 to 63 per cent on the net income above \$1,000,000.

The following illustration will show the average taxpayer how to compute his income tax:

A single man had a net income for 1918 of \$6,000. First he deducts his personal exemption of \$1,000, leaving a balance of \$5,000. On the first \$4,000 he pays at the normal rate of 6 per cent, \$240. On the remaining \$1,000 he pays at the normal rate of 12 per cent, \$120. In addition he pays a surtax of \$10, 1 per cent on the amount of his income between \$5,000 and \$6,000. His total tax is \$370.

A married man with two dependents had a net income for 1918 of \$7,500. From this he deducts his personal exemption of \$2,000 plus \$200 for each dependent. On the first \$4,000 of the balance of \$5,100 he will pay, at the normal rate of 6 per cent, \$240. On the remaining \$1,100 he will pay, at the normal rate of 12 per cent, \$132. On the amount of his income

between \$5,000 and \$6,000 he pays a surtax of 1 per cent, of \$10. On the amount of his income between \$6,000 and \$7,500 he pays a surtax of 2 per cent, or \$30. The total, normal and surtax is \$412.

Husband and wife whose combined net income for 1918 equalled or exceeded \$2,000 must file a return, either separate or joint as desired. If separate returns are filed, either one may claim the exemption of \$2,000, or it may be divided between them.

A widow, a woman living apart from her husband or a maid must file a return if her net income equalled or exceeded \$1,000.

Revenue officers have been sent into every county in the United States to assist taxpayers in making out returns. The service is without cost to the public. Failure to see these revenue officers however, does not relieve the taxpayer of his obligation to file his return and pay at least one-fourth of the tax within the time specified by law, on or before March 15. In the collection of income taxes the Government is not required to seek the taxpayer. The taxpayer must seek the Government.

### Says Wheat Is Good at Rocheport.

R. F. Baldwin, a farmer living near Rocheport came to Columbia Thursday to spend the day. Mr. Baldwin said that crop conditions there are very good and that wheat was looking fine.

### A COMMUNICATION

Mr. Voters:

As I am a candidate for the office of Police Judge, and on account of my employer, Mr. W. A. Majors, Manager of the Illinois Oil Co., being sick and not able to attend to business I am compelled to stay with the business and will not be able to get to see the voters as I would like to. I take this method of calling on all my old friends to lend me all the assistance they possibly can.

For several years I was engaged in the Newspaper business and also have served as Justice of the Peace in Cedar Township where I was born and reared.

Yours,

F. P. GRIFFIN.

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### Tuesday Club to Hear of Magazine.

The Tuesday Club will meet at the Y. M. C. A. Building at 2:30 o'clock March 4. Mrs. Emma K. Parsons, acting librarian of the University will be

### ORDER OF PUBLICATION

State of Missouri, )  
(ss

County of Boone, )

In the Circuit Court, in vacation before

April Term, 1919.

Lewis A. Young, Plaintiff,

against ) Defendants.

Boone County, in the State of Missouri; Maggie Hopper; the unknown bodily heirs of Fielding W. Smith, deceased; the unknown successor of James H. Waugh, trustee of Joel H. Haden, deceased; the unknown successor of L. O. Hockaday, trustee of Maggie Hopper; the unknown heirs, legatees, endorsees, assignees of Joel H. Haden, deceased; the unknown consorts, heirs, devisees, donees, alienees, immediate, remote or remote voluntary or involuntary grantees of Simpson Gallip, deceased; Willis Gallip, deceased; James R. Hume, deceased; Henry J. Sherman, deceased; William Gallip, deceased; Hannah Hardin, deceased, and each of them respectively, and all persons under whom they claim, and all persons claiming or who might claim the same by, through or under them or either of them.

THE STATE OF MISSOURI, to the above named unknown defendants, GREETINGS:

You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court of Boone County, Missouri, affecting the title to the following described lands and tenements lying, being and situate in Boone County, Missouri, to-wit: One hundred and six (106) acres, more or less, the north one-half (1/2) of the north-west fractional quarter (3/4), in Section three (3), Township forty-nine (49), Range thirteen (13), which said action is returnable on the first day of the next term of said court to be held at the Court House in the City of Columbia—Boone County, Missouri, on MONDAY, APRIL 7th, 1919, when and where you may appear and answer or otherwise defend such action; otherwise plaintiff's petition will be taken as confessed and judgment rendered accordingly.

A true copy from the record:

WITNESS my hand as clerk of the Circuit Court of Boone County, Missouri, and the seal of said court. Done at office in Columbia, Missouri, this 26th day of February, 1919.

R. S. POLLARD, Clerk.

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Lois Gribble, Miss Alta Gribble and Mrs. Mary Denham Brown will sing three groups of songs.

## YOU MAY LOSE YET

A number of students have received proofs of their Savitar pictures from the photographer but have not returned them, designating from which negative the print shall be made. The Savitar staff will take no responsibility in seeing that a picture gets into the Savitar unless the proof has been O K'd and the photographer given instructions by next Monday night March 3.

## THE 1919 "VICTORY" SAVITAR

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